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From: Edwin A Steane, PhD [mailto:esteane@iccbba.com]

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Miss Gross:

Re: Public Meeting, Natcher Auditorum, july 26 2002.

ICCBBA, Inc, the organization that provides the technical information for the industry standard for the bar coding of blood products, ISBT 128, would like to present the two following documents.

First, "Bar Coding of Whole Blood and Blood Components: An Historical Perspective and Present Status." This can be an oral presentation as a very brief outline (15 minutes) supported by a handout that provides a "bullet point" chronology and references original documents and World Wide Web sources. A second handout would briefly describe *ISBT 128* and its current world wide implementation progress.

Second, "An ICCBBA, Inc Perspective on Bar Coding." This document, which could also form the basis of a short oral presentation, would provide input to the specific questions about which we have some expertise asked in the announcement of this public meeting, together with some observations on the development and implementation of bar coding protocols based on the experience detailed in our first document.

It is my understanding that such submissions are encouraged, and that asking to speak at the meeting is required. Please accept such a request from ICCBBA, Inc as outlined above.

I do not expect an immediate answer, but "cder" in your E-mail address rather than the "cber" with which I am more familiar concerns me, so a simple acknowledgement of receipt of this E-mail message would be much appreciated.

Edwin A Steane, PhD, Executive Director, ICCBBA, Inc.

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